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## Land Grant Application- Jackson, Nathaniel (Jay)

Nathaniel Jackson

Roanna Jackson

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Roanna Jackson 29<sup>th</sup>

Lot No 36 in No 4, I.P.  
drawn Jan'y 7, 1837

Conveyed to Grantee  
Jan 1, 1837 & deed sent  
by mail to Jas. Starr Esq  
Jany -

STATE OF MAINE.

LAND OFFICE,

Augusta, March 30, 1835.

N<sup>o</sup>. 297.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That *Rianna Jackson*  
of *Jay* in the County of *Oxford*  
widow of *Nathl. Jackson* late of said *Jay*, deceased,  
by declaration sworn to on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of September last,

(See claim N<sup>o</sup>. 518.)

and other accompanying evidence has satisfactorily proved her claim  
to the benefits of a "Resolve in favor of certain officers and soldiers of  
the Revolutionary war and the widows of deceased officers and soldiers,"  
approved March 17, A. D. 1835, and that "THE LAWFUL HOLDER" of this  
certificate is entitled, under the provisions of a Resolve additional to said  
Resolve, approved March 16, 1836, to **TWO HUNDRED ACRES OF**  
**LAND.**

*Wm. H. H. H.*

Land Agent of Maine.

Exam<sup>d</sup> & countersigned,  
*Wm. Ward*



Hon John Hoodson  
Land Agent of Maine

Jay May 5<sup>th</sup> 1837

Sir,

I wish you to execute  
a deed to me of the land I am entitled to  
by the within Certificate, and the Resolves  
therein named, and enclose the same, to  
James Starr of Jay (my agent) by mail -  
Attest to James Starr

Roanna Jackson



Jay Me?  
May 30

Free  
James Harrill,

Hon John Hodgdon  
Land Agent of Maine

Bangor  
Me

Hon John Hodgson

Jay May 29 1837

Sir

I here enclose to you the Widow Joanna Jackson's certificate for two hundred acres of land, granted to her as a widow of a Revolutionary soldier - having been informed that the land appropriated for that purpose has been surveyed, she is desirous of receiving her deed of the same. I wish you to execute a deed to her agreeable to the provisions of the Legislature in such cases provided, and enclose the same to me by mail, as soon as you can conveniently -

Very Respectfully your  
Most Obedt.

Resd.

James Parr }  
James Parr }  
James Parr }  
James Parr }

Jay Allen  
Apr 18

James H. Allen  
Free

W<sup>m</sup> W. Hart Jr. Esq.  
Dept. Land agent.

Augusta Me

Sept 1836  
J. Allen Esq.  
Aug



Wm Abbott Jr Esqr

Jay Apr 7 1836

Sir I have rec<sup>d</sup> Two Revolutionary  
Soldier's Certificates, from Maine Land Office viz Isaac  
West No 279 and Romaine Jackson No 297. I do not  
understand why Mr West is for fifty dollars and  
Mrs Jackson for 200 acres of land, they were allowed  
under the resolve of Mar 17 1835. in your letter to  
me Dec 1 1835 you say the claim of Isaac West to  
land under the resolve of the 17 of March last has been  
allowed, a Certificate will be issued when the Legislature  
shall have made further appropriation of land for  
the purpose - I thought it must be ~~possibly~~ a mistake  
that Mr West should be allowed money when no  
such provision was made in the resolve under  
which his claim was allowed - I wish you would  
inform me by return mail why it is Thus -  
also whether the land are now ready to be drawn  
under Mrs Jackson Certificate and the mode that  
is adopted to designate the lot -

Very Respectfully

yours

James Harr {Atty to  
the above  
applicants

Roxanna Jackson<sup>518</sup>  
widow of  
Nathl. Jackson,

Filed Sept. 26. 1836

Served 36 m.

Admitted, and certificate  
N<sup>o</sup>. 297. Jp. March 30,

1836, sent J. Stur

Esq. Apr 6 1836

Jas Stur. Esq.  
Wm. Fay

Before me

James H. Davis, Justice of the Peace.

*Admirals and Captains of the Navy*

I hereby Certify, that the accompanying page numbered ~~four~~ *into* One, is — truly copied from the original in the Pension Office, War Department.

J. L. Edwards

Commissioner of Pensions.

**Be it Remembered,** that JAMES L. EDWARDS, who has signed the foregoing certificate, is Commissioner of Pensions; and that to his attestations full faith and credit are and ought to be given. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused the seal of the Department to be affixed, on this first day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five.

L. Schap

Secretary of War.



Nathaniel Jackson, Corporal in Capt<sup>n</sup>  
Henry Burbeck's Company, in the 3.<sup>d</sup> Regiment  
of Artillery, Commanded by Col<sup>l</sup> Jno Brane,  
Having served as a good soldier during the Term of  
his Three years enlistment, is hereby discharged  
from the armies of the United States of North  
America, and is entitled to all privileges that  
may arise to the Three years Men from the Massa-  
chusetts & United States of North America.

Given at West Point <sup>(Signed)</sup> Henry Burbeck, Capt<sup>n</sup>  
This 14 Day of March 1780. <sup>(Signed)</sup> S. Bauman, Major  
Com<sup>d</sup> of Artill<sup>y</sup>.

This 6<sup>th</sup> of the day of September 1833

Before me James Starr. Justice of the Peace

I Roanna Jackson of Jay in the County of Oxford and State of Maine aged sixty six years, do upon oath declare in order to obtain the benefits of a resolve of the Legislature of the State Maine, passed March 17 1835, entitled a resolve in favor of certain officers and soldiers of the Revolutionary war, and the widows of the deceased officers and soldiers - That I am the widow of Nathaniel Jackson late of Jay in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, who died at Jay aforesaid on the thirteenth day of November 1830 -

That I have reason to believe and do <sup>fully</sup> believe that my said late husband Nathaniel Jackson did enlist in April or May 1775 in the first eight month service, Massachusetts line and was stationed in the vicinity of Boston and served the full term of his enlistment - That the first part of search that he enlisted at Newton in December 1775 in the first year service and was a soldier in Montgomery army at Quebec and served that time out - That the first of March 1777 he enlisted for three years in the Continental service in a company of Artillery, in the 3 Regt of Artillery commanded by Col Jon<sup>l</sup> Crane, and that he served the full term of that enlistment, and was honorably discharged from that service by S. Bauman Maj Com<sup>d</sup> of Artillery, and I do further declare that I have reason to believe and do fully believe, that my said late husband Nathaniel Jackson was at the time of his enlistment an inhabitant of Newton in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and I do know that at the time of his decease as aforesaid, an inhabitant of said State of Maine, residing in Jay aforesaid where he had resided for forty years before his decease,

That I have reason to believe and do fully believe, that neither my said late husband nor any one claiming under him did receive nor have I received since his decease, a grant of land or money in lieu thereof from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for his said services or any other services during the Revolution any war. - That I have reason to believe and do fully believe, that my said late husband Nathaniel Jackson was the identical Nathaniel Jackson named in a discharge from the Armies of the United States of North America, a certified copy of which is hereto annexed; and that I am therefore justly entitled to the full benefit of said resolve -

Roanna Jackson

State of Maine

Oxford ss. Subscribed and sworn to  
this fifteenth day of September 1835

Before me James Harr. Justice of the Peace

State of Maine.

Oxford ss. I the subscriber Judge of Probate within and for the County of Oxford, do hereby certify, that satisfactory evidence has been adduced to me that Roanna Jackson by whom the foregoing declaration was made, was the lawful wife, and is now the widow of Nathaniel Jackson late of Jay in the County of Oxford, deceased.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this 15<sup>th</sup> day of Sept<sup>r</sup> 1835.

Stephen Emery

Know all Men by These Presents That I Roanna Jackson of Jay in the County of Oxford, State of Maine widow, being the same person by whom the foregoing declaration was made do hereby constitute and appoint James Starr of Jay ofor said Esq<sup>r</sup> my true and lawful Attorney for me and in my name to receive from the Land agent of the State of Maine such certificates as he may issue to me in virtue of a resolve of the said State passed the 17 day of March 1835, entitled a Resolve in favor of Certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and Widows of the deceased officers and soldiers, to the benefits of which resolve I am entitled, and my said Attorney is hereby authorized and empowered upon the reception of such certificate, for me and in my name, to execute such receipt and acknowledgment therefor as I might, were I personally present, hereby ratifying and confirming whatever my said Attorney shall do by virtue hereof.

Witness my Hand and seal this twenty

fifth day of September a.d. 1835.

In presence of  
Arund Holmes

Roanna Jackson

State of Maine

Oxford ss. Be it known that on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of September a.d. 1835. before the subscriber a Justice of the Peace for said County, personally appeared Roanna Jackson above named and acknowledged the foregoing power of Attorney by her signed to be her free act and deed.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this day and year last above written

Arund Holmes Justice of the Peace